

**GOVERNMENT OF ANDHRA PRADESH  
ABSTRACT**

Endowments Department – Appointment of Agama Advisory Board to conduct Agama Examinations – Constitution of new Committee – Orders – Issued.

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REVENUE (ENDTS-I) DEPARTMENT

**G.O.Rt.No. 800**

**Dated.01-06-2010.**

Read the following:-

- 1) G.O.Rt.No.510, Revenue (Endts-II) Department, dated 19-3-2004.
- 2) G.O.Rt.No.827, Revenue (Endts-I) Department, dated 26-4-2007
- 3) From the Commissioner of Endowments Department, A.P., Hyderabad Rc.No.W/10526/2010, dated 18.5.2010.

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**ORDER:**

In the reference 3<sup>rd</sup> read above, the Commissioner of Endowments, A.P., Hyderabad has stated that the term of the Advisory Board of Agama Pandits, which was originally constituted in G.O.Rt.No.242, Revenue (Endts.II) Dept., dated 29.01.2001, has been extended for a further period in the references 1<sup>st</sup> and 2<sup>nd</sup> read above. The extended term of the said Board expired in the year 2007 i.e., after completion of the examinations conducted in the year 2007. The Commissioner of Endowments, A.P., Hyderabad has proposed to conduct Agama examinations every year hereafter in Pravara, Vara and Pravasa categories in eight (8) Agamas as usual.

2. The Commissioner of Endowments, A.P., Hyderabad has further stated that there is absolute necessity to have the guidance of the Agama Advisory Board for the proposed examinations in all stages and requested the Government to appoint the new Agama Advisory Board for a period of five (5) years with the following members for conducting Archaka examinations smoothly and effectively:

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| 1) | Sri Madduri Venkateswara Yajulu garu<br>C/o M.Y.L.Sastry, H.No.8-48, S.V.H.<br>Colony, Saidabad, Hyderabad                            | ... Chairman    |
| 2) | Sri Viswanatha Gopalakrishna Sastry,<br>Principal, Oriental College, Rajahmundry  | ... Sanskrit    |
| 3) | Sri Veedantam Vishnubattacharyulu<br>Professor in Vaikanasa Agama, Sri<br>Venktateswara Vedic University, Tirupati<br>and Advisor TTD | ... Vaikanasa   |
| 4) | Sri K.H.Rajesh Kumar Bhattar, Lecturer in<br>Pancharatra Agama, S.V. Vedic University,<br>Tirupati, Chittoor District                 | ... Pancharatra |
| 5) | Sri S.M.K.Sada Siva, Gurukul, Retired<br>Pradhana Archaka, Sri Kalahasteswara<br>Swamy Temple, Srikalahasti, Chittoor<br>District     | ... Saiva       |
| 6) | Sri M.Mahanthayya Swamy, M.A., Ph.D.,<br>Telugu Pandit, H.No.6-422, MLR Colony,<br>Meerpet (V), Hyderabad-500079                      | ... Veera Saiva |

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| 7)  | Sri Jagannadha Sastry, President of Vaidika Sastra Parishad, West Godavari District                   | ... | Vydika Smartha           |
| 8)  | Sri T.Anantha Swamy, BOL, H.No.7-5-259/A/1, Vidya Nagar, Jagtial (Town & Mandal), Karimnagar District | ... | Chattada<br>Srivaishnava |
| 9)  | Sri Raja S.Pavamanacharyulu, Near Bus Stand, Mantralayam, Kurnool District                            | ... | Tantrasara               |
| 10) | Sri Kothuru Koteswara Sarma, C/o Sri Venkateswara Swamy Temple, Jamalapuram (V&M), Khammam District   | ... | Grama Devata             |
| 11) | Sri Sudarshan Venkata Janardhana Chary Vedaparru (V), Uppalaguntam (M), East Godavari District        | ... | Vastu and<br>Jyothishyam |

3. Government, after careful examination hereby appoint the new Agama Advisory Board for a period of five (5) years with the members mentioned at Para - 2 above for conducting Archaka examinations every year in Pravara, Vara and Pravasa categories in eight (8) Agamas. The earlier terms and conditions of the above Board shall be continued.

4. The Commissioner of Endowments, A.P., Hyderabad shall take necessary further action in the matter accordingly.

(BY ORDER AND IN THE NAME OF THE GOVERNOR OF ANDHRA PRADESH)

K.V.RAMANACHARY  
PRINCIPAL SECRETARY TO GOVERNMENT

To  
The Commissioner of Endowments Department, A.P., Hyderabad  
All the Members through the Commissioner, Endowment Department, Hyderabad.

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